



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Reply Application of:

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For: INFORMATION PROCESSING  
APPARATUS, METHOD, AND  
SYSTEM, CONTENT SALES  
SYSTEM AND METHOD,  
TRANSACTION ASSISTING  
SYSTEM AND METHOD,  
SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM  
AND METHOD, AND RECORDING  
MEDIUM

Group Art Unit: 3629

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed August 16, 2007, the period for  
response to which extends to November 16, 2007:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.